

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
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In re Application of  
HEATH et al.  
Serial No.: 08/699,716  
Filed: August 27, 1996  
For: Recombinant F1-V Plaque Vaccine

Examiner: A. Kaputa  
Group Art Unit: 1817  
Attny Docket: 003/029/SAP

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Date: August 8, 1997

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted for filing herewith are the following items:

☒ Response to Restriction Requirement dated July 11, 1997

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Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 11, 1997 in the subject application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Kindly amend the specification as follows.

Page 15, line 27, kindly delete "a" and replace with --the--

Page 16, line 1, kindly delete "pigmentation negative derivative (Pgm") of *Y. Pestis* CO92" and replace with --Antigua strain of *Y. pestis*--.

IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly add the following new claims.

~~--29. An F1-V protein produced by the method according to claim 17.~~

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